

## NORTHWOOD HOUSE CHARITABLE TRUST

## **LATEST NEWS**

Jazz lovers have the chance to enjoy a great night out in November when Northwood House in Cowes hosts its next Jazz Social event. Hosted in the iconic House Ballroom, the vibe at a Jazz Social event is informal and relaxed with quiet, yet sociable chit-chat very much encouraged in the audience while guest jazz performers provide the perfect atmosphere. The next event takes place on Friday, 15th November and is hosted again by the Island's Jazz supremo Jim Thorn and a number of special guests, who will provide the evening with a relaxed and perfectly pitched musical ambiance.

Event Manager, Darren Cool conceived the idea for the event with Jim Thorn about twelve months ago and hosted the first two sell-out events earlier in the year. Darren said; "We've always wanted to support the lively jazz scene on the Island here at Northwood House and I've have chatted with Jim on many occasions about trying to create more of a jazz club vibe which you don't get at other local venues. Here you can meet up with friends in a relaxed, yet exclusive-feeling environment, to enjoy fantastic modern jazz played live in front of you. The Ballroom makes a fantastic location for this cosy experience where the audience are up-close and personal to the performers. The bar is open, but we include a glass of wine and cheese platter in the ticket price so people can really enjoy the moment without spending too much".

Some tickets are still available for the Jazz Social from our website (please see link below) favourably priced at £12.50. Doors open at 7.15pm with the live jazz starting at 8:00pm.

Our Christmas Gift Fair takes place on Saturday, 23rd and Sunday 24th November with doors open from 10:00am until 4:00pm. With over 40 local craft stalls to choose from you can get your Christmas shopping off to a good start. Father Christmas will be here for the children to visit FREE of charge. There will be a chance for children to write their letters to Father Christmas and also to have a photo with him (don't forget your cameras mum and dad!).

Santa Paws will be here for dogs to have their photo opportunity with their very own Santa Paws for Dogs (minimum donation £3.00). You can take your own photo, or we will take a photo for you and email to you (makes a great Christmas card with all the family included!). This will be held in the Community Hall, but well behaved dogs on leads will be admitted into the House for the Christmas Fair.

We look forward to welcoming you here at Northwood House very soon.



## **DECORATING THE HOUSE FOR CHRISTMAS**

On Sunday, 17th November from 10.00 am until 13.00 pm we will be decorating the House for Christmas. If you would like to help please come along and join us, you will be most welcome. Complimentary homemade soup and baguettes, plus tea and coffee will be served.









## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday, 15th November - Jazz Social from 7:30pm (tickets on sale NOW! <a href="https://www.northwoodhouse.org/event/the-jazz-social/">https://www.northwoodhouse.org/event/the-jazz-social/</a> -

Sunday, 17th November - Decorating the House for Christmas 10:00 - 13:00 hrs Saturday, 23rd & Sunday, 24th November - Christmas Gift Fair 10:00 - 16:00 hrs Saturday, 23rd & Sunday, 24th November - Santa Paws - 11:00 - 15:00 hrs

For further updates on the above events please visit our website <a href="https://www.northwoodhouse.org/events/">https://www.northwoodhouse.org/events/</a>